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**MOBILE MAN CHARGED WITH
ASSAULTING A FEDERAL EMPLOYEE WITH A DEADLY WEAPON**

MOBILE, Ala. - **April 23, 2008**

1 Count Indictment Returned Against a Mobile Man for assaulting a Postal Letter Carrier with a deadly weapon

Brandon Dewayne Spencer is charged with assaulting a federal employee with a deadly weapon. On or about April 2, 2008, Brandon Dewayne Spencer assaulted his victim, a U.S. Postal Letter Carrier, with a knife.

The maximum penalty for a violation of 18 U.S.C. §111(a)(1) and (b), Assaulting a federal employee with a deadly weapon, is up to 20 years imprisonment and a fine of up to \$250,000.

The case was investigated by the United State Postal Service. The case is being prosecuted by AUSA Vicki Davis.

An indictment is a determination by a grand jury that there is probable cause to believe that offenses have been committed by a defendant. A defendant, of course, is presumed innocent until and unless he or she is proven guilty at trial.

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